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NOTIFICATION

The Governor of Sikkim is pleased to declare the days specified in the following Schedule to be observed as holidays in all Government Offices, Public Sector Undertakings and Educational Institutions under the Government of Sikkim during the calendar year 2016.

THE SCHEDULE

| SI. No | Occasion | Date(s) | Day(s) | No. of days |
|--------|----------------------------|--------------------------|-----------|-------------|
| 1. | New Year's Day | 1 st January | Friday | 1 day |
| 2. | Maghe Sankranti | 14 th January | Thursday | 1 day |
| 3. | Republic Day | 26 th January | Tuesday | 1 day |
| 4. | Sonam Lochhar | 9 th February | Tuesday | 1 day |
| 5. | Losar | 9 th February | Tuesday | 1 day |
| 6. | Holi | 23 rd March | Wednesday | 1 day |
| 7. | Good Friday | 25 th March | Friday | 1 day |
| 8. | Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Jayanti | 14 th April | Thursday | 1 day |
| 9. | Ram Navami (Chaite Dasain) | 15 th April | Friday | 1 day |
| 10. | State Day | 16th May | Monday | 1 day |
| 11. | Saga Dawa | 21st May | Saturday | 1 day |
| 12. | Sakewa | 21st May | Saturday | 1 day |
| 13. | ld Ul Fitr | 5 th July | Tuesday | 1 day |

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| 14. | Bhanu Jayanti | 13™ July | Wednesday | 1 day |
| 15. | Drukpa Tshechi | 6th August | Saturday | 1 day |
| 16. | Tendong Lho Rum Faat | 8th August | Monday | 1 day |
| 17. | Guru Rimpoche's Thrunkar Tshechu | 13th August | Saturday | 1 day |
| 18. | Independence Day | 15th August | Monday | 1 day |
| 19. | Janmasthami | 25th August | Thursday | 1 day |
| 20. | Indrajatra | 15 th September | Thursday | 1 day |
| 21. | Pang Lhabsol | 16 th September | Friday | 1 day |
| 22. | Gandhi Jayanti | 2 nd October | Sunday | 1 day |
| 23. | Durga Puja (Dasain) | 8th October to 12th October | Saturday to Wednesday | 5 days |
| 24. | Diwali (Laxmi Puja) | 30th October to 1st November | Sunday to Tuesday | 3 days |
| 25. | Lhabab Duechen | 20th November | Sunday | 1 day |
| 26. | Teyongsi Sirijunga Sawan Tongnam | 14 th December | Wednesday | 1 day |
| 27. | Barahimizong | 18th December | Sunday | 1 day |
| 28. | Christmas | 25 th December | Sunday | 1 day |
| 29. | Kagyed Dance | 27 th December | Tuesday | 1 day |
| 30. | Tamu Lochar | 30 th December | Friday | 1 day |
| 31. | Losoong/Namsoong | 30th December to 3rd January 2017 | Friday to Tuesday | 5 days |
| 32. | Nyenpa Guzom | 4th January, 2017 | Wednesday | 1 day |

It is further declared that Labour Day on 1st May, 2016 shall be a Restricted Holiday which may be availed by any employee on application.

By order and in the name of the Governor.

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Chief Secretary
Government of Sikkim
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